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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We had to switch our internet service from CenturyLink because of the very poor service CenturyLink was giving us. Or should I say not giving us. They would ignore our questions and then our complaints. It was obvious that they felt they had us over a barrel. Lucky for us, there was a small local service that stepped in and despite all the problems they had by being small, they worked hard to provide us with a good service.

CenturyLink has a bad attitude towards their rural customers. They seem to operate more like a "slum landlord" than a real company providing a public service.

Hope you and His Honor, President Trump will consider our requests and support the small business community who do the real work for us rural Americans.

Thank You,

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